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Dear Sir:

This paper is in response to the Office Action mailed October 19, 2004, with a shortened statutory period set to expire on January 19, 2005. This paper is filed within the set period for response such that no extension of time is necessary.

Please consider the following amendments and/or remarks:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.